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BERLIN FOR THE AMBASSADOR

E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: BUNDESTAG PRESIDUM MEETING IN BERLIN

REF: (A) STATE 39402; (B) BONN 3162; (C) BONN3252

1. AT BONN GROUP MEETING TODAY ALL REPS AGREED TO
TEXT APPROVED BY DEPARTMENT WITH SLIGHT ALTERATION.
ENTIRE AGREED TEXT FOLLOWS. BEGIN TEXT:

A. THANK YOU FOR YOUR LETTER OF FEBRUARY 21, 1974. AS
YOU KNOW, THE SOVIET UNION PROTESTED ON JANUARY 2, 1974
TO THE THREE POWERS ABOUT THE MEETING OF THE PRESIDUM
WHICH WAS FORESEEN FOR 28 JANUARY 1974 IN BERLIN. THE
THREE POWERS HAVE IN THE MEANTIME MADE THE ANSWER TO
THIS SOVIET DEMARCHE THE SUBJECT OF EXHAUSTIVE CONSUL-
TATIONS WITH THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT, WHICH HAVE NOT
YET BEEN COMPLETED. THE SOVIET PROTEST HAS THEREFORE
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NOT YET BEEN ANSWERED.

B. AS MINISTER BAHR HAS ALREADY INFORMED YOU, ON THE ALLIED SIDE MUCH VALUE IS PLACED ON BEING COMPREHENSIVELY INFORMED OF THE PURPOSE AND AGENDA OF THE INTENDED MEETING. I WOULD LIKE TO TRANSMIT THIS REQUEST ONCE MORE AND WOULD BE GRATEFUL TO YOU IF IT COULD BE COMPLIED WITH.

C. AS LONG AS THE ALLIED PROCESS OF REACHING AN OPINION HAS NOT BEEN CONCLUDED, AND A CORRESPONDING DECISION REACHED, THE THREE POWERS AND THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT WOULD BE GRATEFUL IF THE PRESIDUM WOULD NOT SCHEDULE A MEETING IN BERLIN. END TEXT.

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